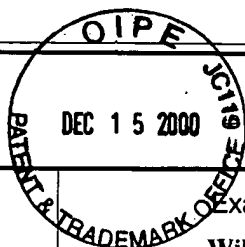


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

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In Re Application Of: Lippert et al.



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Invention: Silicon Germanium Hetero Bipolar Transistor and Method of Fabricating the Epitactic Layers Thereof

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 15 June 2000 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: 15 September 2000
Date

until: 15 December 2000
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

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Dated: 9 December 2000

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